

SAMPLE BALLOT

OFFICIAL BALLOT
ANNUAL TOWN ELECTION
NOTTINGHAM, NEW HAMPSHIRE
MARCH 8, 2016

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TOWN CLERK

INSTRUCTIONS TO VOTERS

A. TO VOTE, completely fill in the OVAL to the RIGHT of your choice(s) like this: ☒

B. Follow directions as to the number of candidates to be marked for each office.

C. To vote for a person whose name is not printed on the ballot, write the candidate's name on the line provided and completely fill in the OVAL.

SELECTMAN Vote for not for 3 years more than ONE JOHN MORIN <input type="radio"/> CHARLENE ANDERSEN <input type="radio"/> <input type="radio"/> (Write-in)	LIBRARY TRUSTEE Vote for not for 1 year more than ONE ELIZABETH FRIEDRICH <input type="radio"/> LAURA COTTRELL <input type="radio"/> <input type="radio"/> (Write-in)	BUDGET COMMITTEE MEMBER Vote for not for 3 years more than THREE JEFFERY WHEELER <input type="radio"/> ANTHONY DUMAS <input type="radio"/> SUZANNE EDIN <input type="radio"/> <input type="radio"/> (Write-in) <input type="radio"/> (Write-in) <input type="radio"/> (Write-in) <input type="radio"/>
SELECTMAN Vote for not for 2 years more than ONE TILER F. EATON <input type="radio"/> TERESA L. BASCOM <input type="radio"/> <input type="radio"/> (Write-in)	SUPERVISOR OF THE CHECKLIST Vote for not for 6 years more than ONE JOANNA M. ARENDARCZYK <input type="radio"/> <input type="radio"/> (Write-in)	ZONING BOARD MEMBER Vote for not for 3 years more than ONE MICHAEL RUSSO <input type="radio"/> <input type="radio"/> (Write-in)
CEMETERY TRUSTEE Vote for not for 3 years more than ONE TERESA L. BASCOM <input type="radio"/> <input type="radio"/> (Write-in)	MODERATOR Vote for not for 2 years more than ONE BONNIE WINONA MacKINNON <input type="radio"/> <input type="radio"/> (Write-in)	BOARD OF ASSESSORS MEMBER Vote for not for 3 years more than ONE EUGENE T. REED <input type="radio"/> <input type="radio"/> (Write-in)
TRUSTEE OF THE TRUST FUNDS Vote for not for 3 years more than ONE <input type="radio"/> (Write-in)	PLANNING BOARD MEMBER Vote for not for 3 years more than TWO EDUARD VIEL <input type="radio"/> DIRK GROTENHUIS <input type="radio"/> <input type="radio"/> (Write-in) <input type="radio"/> (Write-in) <input type="radio"/>	BOARD OF ASSESSORS MEMBER Vote for not for 2 years more than ONE ARTHUR STOCKUS <input type="radio"/> <input type="radio"/> (Write-in)
LIBRARY TRUSTEE Vote for not for 3 years more than TWO SARA WOOTON <input type="radio"/> SUSAN MEDEIROS <input type="radio"/> <input type="radio"/> (Write-in) <input type="radio"/> (Write-in) <input type="radio"/>		

ARTICLES

ARTICLE #2: Are you in favor of omitting the following definitions in the Nottingham Zoning Ordinances which currently read as follows:

ANIMAL FEED LOT – an agricultural establishment consisting of confined feeding areas and related structures used for the raising of livestock. An animal feedlot shall be considered one on which more than five (5) adult animals are raised simultaneously.

CAMPGROUND – any area of land on which are located two or more cabins, tents, trailers, shelters or other accommodations of a design or character suitable for seasonal, temporary living purposes, regardless of whether such structures or other accommodations actually are occupied or other.

Recommended by the Nottingham Planning Board (7-0).

YES ☐

NO ☐

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ARTICLES CONTINUED

ARTICLE #3: Are you in favor of amending the following definitions in the Nottingham Zoning Ordinance?

Current:

BUILDING INSPECTOR – refers to the Board of Selectmen whenever no active Building Inspector is available in Town.

SOIL SCIENTIST – a person qualified in soils classification and licensed by the State of New Hampshire.

SURVEYING – means any service or work, the adequate performance of which involves the art of locating and measuring lines, angles, features for the purpose of determining areas for the monumenting of property and for the platting and layout of lands and for the preparation and perpetuation of plats that represent these surveys.

To be changed to:

BUILDING INSPECTOR – *The officer or other designated authority charged with the administration and enforcement of the Town Regulations, Zoning Ordinance, and Building Code. Whenever no active Building Inspector is available in Town, this refers to the Board of Selectmen.*

SOIL SCIENTIST – *See Certified Soil Scientist.*

SURVEYING – *Any service or work, the adequate performance of which involves the art of locating and measuring lines, angles, features for the purpose of determining areas for the monumenting of property and for the platting and layout of lands and for the preparation and perpetuation of plats that represent these surveys. Land surveyors are required to hold a license from the State of New Hampshire.*

Recommended by the Nottingham Planning Board (7-0).

YES ☐

NO ☐

ARTICLE #4: Are you in favor of adding the following definitions to the Nottingham Zoning Ordinance?

ABUTTER – *As defined under RSA 672:3 and 676:4 I, any person whose property is located in New Hampshire and adjoins or is directly across the street or stream from the land under consideration by the local land use board. For purposes of receiving testimony only, and not for purposes of notification, the term “abutter” shall include any person who is able to demonstrate the land will be directly affected by the proposal under consideration. For purposes of receipt of notification by a municipality of a local land use board hearing, in the case of an abutting property being under a condominium or other collective form of ownership, the term abutter means the officers of the collective or association, as defined in RSA 356-B:3, XXIII. For purposes of receipt of notification by a municipality of a local land use board hearing, in the case of an abutting property being under a manufactured housing park form of ownership as defined in RSA 205-A:1, II, the term “abutter” includes the manufactured housing park owner and the tenants who own manufactured housing which adjoins or is directly across the street or stream from the land under consideration by the local land use board.*

CERTIFIED SOIL SCIENTIST – *A person who, by reason of his or her special knowledge of soil classification and mapping as acquired by course work and experience, as specified by RSA 310-A:84, I and II and who is certified by the State of New Hampshire Board of Natural Scientists.*

COMPLETENESS REVIEW – *The process used by the Planning Board and/or their designated agent to ensure that all necessary applications/permits/plans/various paperwork required from the applicant have been submitted with the application for Subdivision to be considered for approval by the Planning Board.*

PUBLIC HEARING – *A publicly advertised item on the Planning Board agenda at which public comment on a specific application is heard, as specified under RSA 675:7.*

TOWN – *Town of Nottingham officials and/or employees, or its designated agents.*

4K AREA – *A reserved 4,000 sq. ft. area of land reserved for sewage disposal.*

STREAM – *Surface water that flows for sufficient times of the year to develop and maintain defined channels but may not flow during dry portions of the year. Includes, but is not limited to, all perennial and intermittent streams located on U.S. Geological Survey Maps.*

Recommended by the Nottingham Planning Board (7-0).

YES ☐

NO ☐

ARTICLE #5: Are you in favor of increasing the Board of Selectmen to 5 members?

YES ☐

NO ☐

YOU HAVE NOW COMPLETED VOTING